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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### First Technology Transitions

### Policy Task Force Workshop

[GN Docket No. 13-5; DA 13-383]

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** In this document the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) provides a detailed agenda for the workshop scheduled for March 18, 2013 in Washington, DC. This event is the first in a planned series of workshops to analyze technology transitions from narrowband to broadband; from time-division multiplexing (TDM) to Internet Protocol (IP); from copper to fiber; from only wireline services to greater use of wireless and their implications for modernizing Commission policy.

**DATES:** The workshop information is as follows:

Date:	March 18, 2013
Time:	9:30 am – 4:00 pm (EST)
Location:	Commission Meeting Room Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554
9:30 am-10:00 am	Welcome and Opening Remarks
10:00 am–11:30 am	<b>Technological Capabilities</b> – This panel will discuss the technological capabilities of wireless and wireline (copper, fiber and coax) technologies today and in the future.
11:30 am-12:30 pm	Lunch Break

12:30 pm–2:00 pm	<b>Usage and Adoption</b> – This panel will examine the adoption and use of various technologies across the diverse demographics of our nation.
2:00 pm–2:30 pm	Break
2:30 pm–4:00 pm	<b>Network Evolution</b> – transition for different wireline and wireless This panel will examine the timing of the technological networks as well as examine drivers for the timing of the technology transition.

**ADDRESSES:** Federal Communications Commission  
Commission Meeting Room  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information about the meeting, please contact Rebekah Goodheart, Deputy Director, Technology Transitions Policy Task Force, at (202) 418-1438 or [rebekah.goodheart@fcc.gov](mailto:rebekah.goodheart@fcc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The FCC will attempt to accommodate as many attendees as possible; however, admittance will be limited to seating availability. The Commission will provide audio and/or video coverage of the meeting over the Internet from the FCC’s Web page at <http://www.fcc.gov/live>. Open captioning will be provided for this event. Other reasonable accommodations for people with disabilities are available upon request. Requests for such accommodations should be submitted via e-mail to [fcc504@fcc.gov](mailto:fcc504@fcc.gov) or by calling the Consumer & Governmental Affairs Bureau at (202) 418–0530 (voice), (202) 418–0432 (tty). Such requests should include a detailed description of the accommodation needed. In addition, please include a way the FCC can contact you if it needs more information. Please allow as much advance notice as possible; last-minute requests will be accepted, but may be impossible to fill.

We also take this opportunity to remind the public that presentations to decision-making personnel that go to the merits of the Commission's pending permit-but-disclose proceeding in GN Docket No. 13-5 regarding the work of the Technology Transitions Policy Task Force, *see Ex Parte Meetings with the Technology Transitions Policy Task Force*, Public Notice, 28 FCC Rcd 105 (2013), must comply with the Commission's *ex parte* rules, *see, e.g.*, 47 CFR.1.1200 *et seq.* Interested parties are also invited to submit written comments in this public docket.

**Attendance** - This Workshop is open to the public. In order to ensure space availability and expedite the security check-in process, please submit name and company affiliation ahead of time by sending an email to [susan.fisenne@fcc.gov](mailto:susan.fisenne@fcc.gov). All attendees are advised to arrive approximately 30 minutes prior to the start of the workshop to allow time to go through our security process.

**Lunch:** Attendees may pre-order lunch, to be picked up by FCC staff, from the Potbelly Sandwich Shop. To place your order online, go to <http://www.potbelly.com/Shops/OrderOnline.aspx> and follow these instructions:

- Which Shop?, enter the FCC's address at 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW, Washington, DC, and then select the Potbelly Shop located at 1240 Maryland Ave, SW Washington
- Carryout or Delivery?: Carryout
- Pickup Date?: March 18, 2013
- Pickup Time?: 10:30 am
- Make your lunch and beverage selections
- Who is this Item for?: **First and last name followed by "FCC,"** i.e., John Smith FCC

- Contact Information: Complete your contact information and after your last name, include “- **FCC**”
- Credit Card Information: Provide your credit card information and submit your order.

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